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Docket No. 066872-0020 (P-AR 4951)

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Applicant : DEVRIES, Gerald W. Customer No.: 41552
Appl. No. : 10/081,126 Confirmation No.: 8539
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Title : METHODS OF EXTENDING CORNEAL
GRAFT SURVIVAL
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Examiner: : HUYNH, Phuong N.

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 8, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 8-10, 15 and 26-38.

Appeal Fee: \$500.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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